

A PLEA OF NOT GUILTY

Cosgrove and Sparks Make a Startling Statement to the Court.

LEARNED IS JUDGE KEITHLY

Prisoners Must Be Properly Committed Before They Can Be Proven Guilty of Jail Breaking.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—Cosgrove and Sparks were brought before Judge Penberton this morning to plead to the new information against them, charging them with escaping from jail. Each entered the rather amusing plea of not guilty, although Sheriff Lloyd had paid rewards for the recapture of both. Even the court was surprised, but the plea was probably made to await the outcome of the charges of robbery against them. Judge Keithly, however, says he intends to put his clients on trial for jail breaking. He expects to take the peculiar defense that a prisoner cannot escape from jail unless he has been legally confined by due process of law, and maintains that there is some question on that point. The very learned attorney says that half the justices in the county do not know how to make out a commitment properly, and he will take it upon himself to teach them how when his clients are put on trial.

Courtmarch, the forger, also pleaded not guilty to the charge of passing a forged check, and the three cases will be called next Thursday to be set for trial.

Attorney Keithly asked that the case against Ross, for assault with intent to kill, be passed until next Tuesday, which was done, and will then be set for trial.

Judge Lippincott gave notice of a motion for a new trial in the McKee case, and was granted 30 days in which to file a statement and bill of exceptions.

Attorney O'Donnell, for Julia Cotter, this morning filed a petition for divorce from her husband, Daniel Cotter, on the grounds of extreme cruelty. She relates that they were married in New York city, April 23, 1886, just a quarter of a century ago. According to her complaint, Daniel in his old age contracted an annual desire to kill her, and in February, 1891, and 1892, he threatened to blow her brains out, and a few days ago threatened to kick her and told her she had only a few more days to live. The same day he struck her with his fist and called her vile and offensive names. He has been an habitual drunkard for three years past and has in that time contributed nothing to her support, but compelled her to support herself and family by keeping a boarding house. She says she has always been a true and faithful wife and never gave him cause for such treatment.

The papers in an appeal case from Judge McMurphy's court were filed in Department H. this afternoon. The case is one of the State against Bridge Williams.

Both departments of court will be in session to-morrow, it being motion day. Judge Penberton will render a decision in the matter of the receivership for the Miners Lumber company. He will also hear a number of motions in his own department. Judge McHatton will occupy his court again to consider a number of probate matters and hear a motion to dismiss the appeal in the case of Donald W. McIntyre against John Murphy. A demurrer will also be argued in the case of the Montana Lime & Flux company against C. J. McSherry.

City Attorney Cotter has filed a demurrer to the amended complaint of Charles H. Palmer in the \$10,000 water case, and will probably be argued next Saturday.

IT WAS ON THE ROOF.

Where a Boy Found a Pocket Book Containing Valuable Papers.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—A few weeks ago a well-known mining man effected the sale of a piece of ground and celebrated his good fortune by opening wine quite freely. During the evening he started out to "take in the town," and among other places that he visited were the concert halls in Park street. He was well supplied with cash and also had a certificate of deposit for \$500 issued by one of the local banks. The next morning he awoke in his room and found that he had been robbed of all his money and also the certificate. Not knowing at what place he had fallen a victim to some light-fingered person, he said nothing about his loss and a few days afterward left for California where he still is.

Last week a boy appeared at a business house where the mining man spent considerable of his time, and gave one of the proprietors a certificate of deposit, bearing the name of the absent man. Being asked where he obtained the paper, the boy said he found it in a pocket book on the roof of the Model saloon, where a fire occurred a couple of weeks or so ago. He said that he climbed to the roof at the first thing he saw was the purse containing the certificate. As the man who lost the paper is known to have been too drunk the night he lost it to perform such a feat as climbing onto the roof of a house, the gentleman to whom the certificate was given is at a loss to know how the boy could get to the place where the boy claimed to have found it.

IN POLICE COURT.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—The routine of business in the police court was carried this afternoon by the admission by a defendant charged with being a vag and a frequenter of houses of bad repute. The man was Ed Tracy, and started the court and officers by admitting that he was living with a woman not his wife, but denied being a pensioner; on the contrary, he said he was playing the part of the good Samaritan and was simply living with her because she was unable to support herself. He said he was not an idle and dissolute person and produced several witnesses who testified that at one time he had worked for them. All the same his conduct and profession of humanity did not save him, and the customary fine of \$10 and costs was entered against him.

Charles Earnest and W. H. Ross were two gentlemen accused of being "seccarars." Both pleaded not guilty and will be tried next Tuesday.

Diana Damindli, the "Italian madame," pleaded guilty to selling liquor without a license, and was let off upon payment of costs, amounting to \$20.00, by obtaining the required permit to sell "house."

John Foley deposited \$1 and costs for a plain drunk and then going to sleep in an alley.

P. H. Handlin and James Helling reduced their finances to the extent of \$5 and costs each for disturbing the peace. James Norris stood charged with assault and battery on Charles Martin. He denied the charge and gave bonds to appear next Monday for trial.

Notice.

At the last regular meeting of the Silver Bow Trades and Labor assembly, held on Saturday evening, Jan. 2, 1892, a committee was appointed to prosecute the boys and girls against the Chinese, and we earnestly request the members of all labor organizations and the general public to assist us in ridding the community of their presence. Per order Silver Bow Trades and Labor assembly.

PRICE'S HOPES CRUSHED.

His Relatives in England are Unable to Help Him.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—One of Price's greatest hopes has been shattered by the receipt of a letter from his brother, who is an officer in the English army. Directly after his arrest Price wrote to his brother and other relatives, and asked for financial assistance in employing counsel to defend him in the murder trial. Price stated, and it was generally understood, that his family was quite wealthy, and the brother was even urged to cable some money. The letters to the relatives in England spared nothing relating to the serious state of the case, and the almost hopelessness of his defense unless the very best counsel was employed. Price has just received a letter from his brother in reply. The letter says he is sorry, very sorry, and judging from the tone of the letter he takes the trouble of his younger brother hard enough, but he cannot furnish any funds for the employment of counsel to fight for a life. The army officer says that everything left out of the Price estate was given to the mother, and she has been sick so long that she has no money to spare. The army officer says he also has been sick, and in consequence his resources are low. Price will now have to look elsewhere for financial help.

In regard to the murder case itself, it is doubtful whether it will be tried at this time of court, although Price's attorney has fully decided upon a line of defense, which he thinks will clear his client without a doubt. It is said by friends of Price that something in the way of a sensation may be expected, and that Mrs. Price will be the main witness, which fact may give some idea of the nature of the sensation. Mr. Haldorn, Price's attorney, will be back from his eastern trip by Sunday, and upon his return Judge Penberton will give his decision on the demurrer to the original information. The demurrer was filed for the purpose of gaining time, but in looking up an excuse for it an error was found in the information, which will probably necessitate the filing of a new one.

CHATAM-LYONS.

Marriage of Two of the Popular Young People of the City.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—At St. Patrick's church, at 9 o'clock on Wednesday morning, Thomas Chatam and Miss Sarah Lyons were united in marriage by Rev. Father Van de Ven. The couple were supported by James Chatam as best man and Miss Josephine Chatam as bridesmaid. The following is a list of the useful and valuable presents received by the happy couple:

Silver, syrup pitcher, J. W. T. McKee; marble clock, Mr. and Mrs. Devitt; dinner and tea set, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claman; parlor lamp, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lohman; silver pickle-caster, Kelley & Courtney; James Broughton, one set silver napkin rings; J. M. McGitt, silver pickle-caster; W. A. McKinnon, silver tea set; Mrs. Whiting, lamp; Miss Katie Walker, bonnet set; J. A. McKay, water set; Miss Emma Devitt, cabinet and photos; Mrs. Crumford, half dozen napkins; Miss Lohman, table cloth and napkins; Miss Ryan, pair towels; Mrs. John Kowan, fruit dish; Miss M. Lyons, one dozen towels and fruit dish; Miss S. Lyons, rug; Mrs. J. Brennan, rug; Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley, heating stove; Andy Murphy, set tea and table spoons; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sullivan, set silver knives and forks; Miss Nellie Lohman, table cloth and one-half dozen glasses; Miss Annie Lohman, pair salt shakers; Ed Coligan, lamp; M. Mulliney, oil painting; Mr. and Mrs. James Dennis, rug; table scarf; Mr. B. Boyden, rocking chair; Mrs. Burrows, fruit dish; A. Boyle, pair vases; Mr. Coyte, parlor lamp; Mrs. Mary Booth, water set; Mrs. J. Courtney, one dozen goblets.

At the residence of the bride's parents in West Pacific street, Centerville, an elegant wedding supper was served. Dancing was the order of the evening.

READY TO FILL.

Captain Salki Puts Up Forfeit Money With the "Standard."

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—Dominick Salki, captain of the Italian team, this afternoon left a check for \$50 at the Butte office of the STANDARD.

"Our team won't pull for \$500 a side," he said, "because that only amounts to \$50 per man and is not worth the trouble. We will pull for \$1,000 a side and will meet to put up the money at any time. This check is a forfeit and I will give until 5 o'clock to-morrow afternoon for it to be covered. The match must take place at the Pavilion one week from Saturday night, if it can be arranged that night. The winner is to take two-thirds and the loser one-third of the receipts after all expenses are paid. This challenge is open to any team in the city composed of members of one nationality. We won't pull against a mixed team."

Mr. Salki will draw down his money at 5 o'clock to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon if it is not covered before that time. The original Irish team, which pulled the English, has put up \$500 to pull the Italians, but evidently this is not enough to bring out the Italians. It is understood that both the Irish and the French Canadians are figuring on accepting this challenge.

GIVEN TO THE UNION.

Gift of the Bozeman Syndicate to the Workmen.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—The Bozeman syndicate a few days ago offered the Butte Workingmen's union one lot each day for the next 30 days, to be raffled by the union to help support those who were taken from the railroad work last Sunday. The following answer was received to-day:

To the gentlemen comprising the Bozeman Syndicate:

DEAR SIRS:—Your liberal and very kind offer was read before the body of the Butte Workingmen's union, and accepted by a unanimous vote.

The union appreciates your feeling in the interests of a standard rate of wages, which we are to believe your firm is an ardent advocate of, and that the slight trouble now in our midst is of only a short duration.

Our president, Mr. Deeney, will call on you in order to make the necessary transfers.

I subscribe myself, my dear sirs, by order of the union,

JAMES BROWN, Secretary.

The West Side Masquerade.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—To-night the West Side gave its first masquerade, and it proved to be a very enjoyable affair. Refreshment hall was filled with dancers and quite a crowd of spectators were also present. No attempt was made by any of the masqueraders to fancy or expensive costumes, the principal idea of all apparently being solely to wear something that would conceal their identity. Humorous characters such as clowns, topies, darkeys, etc., were there in profusion, but no historical characters graced the occasion. For once Washington, Louis IV, and other notable gentlemen were neglected.

Washington camp, No. 18, P. O. S. of A., will celebrate Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, by giving a grand ball at Renshaw hall, and to which all respectable people are invited. The music will be furnished by Van Orton's orchestra, a guarantee that it will be first-class. Tickets are on sale at the usual places and can be obtained from members.

Southern Medical Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Gentlemen: I have used your Wizard cough syrup in my family; it has accomplished all that you claim. I have been troubled with coughs, colds and gripes. Truly yours,

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D. M. Newbro Drug Co., wholesale and retail agents, Butte, Mont.

If you want a first class cigar, ask for the Irwin.

THE ORO PLATA CLUB

Opening of the Elegant Rooms of the Organization This Evening.

WILL GIVE A GRAND BANQUET

Description of the Quarters of the New Social Union—Names of the Charter Members.

BUTTE, Feb. 5.—Today the finishing touches were put on the rooms of the Oro Plata club and to-morrow evening the rooms will be thrown open to the club members. The suite consists of eight rooms on the fourth floor of the Owsley block, corner of Main and Park streets. The elegant furniture ordered for the rooms has not all arrived, but the rooms as arranged present an exceedingly tasteful and attractive appearance. The suite includes the rooms from No. 69 to 77 inclusive. From the hallway, four doors enter the club's apartments, one door entering the billiard room, another the cloak room, a third the card room and a fourth the bar room. The main entrance is to the ante room or cloak room. This connects with the pleasant and neatly furnished library and reading room. At the right of this room is a card room, adjoining which is the sideboard. The club's bar and fixtures have not yet arrived, but temporary furniture has been secured and the members of the house committee say there will be enough to drink.

At the left of the library an arch opens the way to the lovely parlors, the windows of which look both into Park and Main streets, and in the corner of which is an entrancing little niche, beautifully draped and lined with cushioned seats. The parlor and the reception room, which is connected with it by a draped arch, are splendidly furnished and are as attractive rooms as can be found in the city.

The reception room, parlor, library and card room are all connected by stairways, so that in reality they are one large room. In addition, across the hall are two more rooms—a billiard room and another card room. These are very accessible to the bar room.

At the opening to-morrow evening, a modest banquet will be served. Besides the 128 members and the three non-resident members, only the members of the press and the members of the executive committees of the Silver Bow and the Progress clubs have been invited. It was at first intended to invite the members of the other clubs in the city, but it was deemed that the rooms would be well filled the opening night by the members of the club, and accordingly the invitations are limited to the executive committees of the other clubs. Some time in the future it is proposed to give a reception to the other clubs.

The Oro Plata club is the outgrowth of a meeting held on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 10, at the office of Morgan Bros., attended by 21 young men of Butte. At a meeting held at the court house a few nights afterward the club was formally organized and an executive committee chosen, which has attended to the incorporation of the club, the election of its officers, the collection of fees and the preparing of the rooms for to-morrow's opening.

The names on the charter list of the club are:

Henry F. Aleshine,	Henry Armstrong,
C. M. Andrews,	M. D. Arnold,
J. B. Alexander,	John Alexander,
J. M. Adams,	A. W. Barnard,
E. F. Booth,	T. E. Bond,
T. E. Butler,	K. S. Battelger,
A. S. Buxton,	W. D. Bartlett,
J. Boyd,	A. Bixby,
John F. Cowan,	H. R. Cunningham,
Byron Cook,	Eugene Carroll,
J. H. Case,	Patrick Clark,
John A. Canon,	F. Closser,
E. H. Cooney,	C. E. Crowley,
F. T. Corker,	T. Chonvick,
F. E. Colman,	J. D. Crossman,
W. T. Crittenden,	E. O. Dugan,
Geo. E. F. Duffet,	Wm. Darlington,
P. D. Dudley,	C. E. Dagmude,
C. E. Egan,	James F. Egan,
G. E. Fariss,	W. D. Farmer,
O. D. French, Jr.,	C. D. French,
N. S. Grosvenor,	E. E. Gelbovy,
J. M. Gibson,	N. S. Gosman,
J. G. Goss, Jr.,	F. P. Gillingham,
W. H. Hayland,	P. D. Holbrook,
W. S. Higgins,	D. J. Hennessey,
W. E. Hamilton,	John C. Howell,
H. K. Holmes,	H. H. Hunter,
F. S. Jones,	S. W. Hall,
John Jones,	Simon Jacobs,
James H. King,	J. C. Johnson,
F. G. Lamson,	W. A. Lawlor,
James D. Leys,	R. D. Leggett,
John Lindsay,	A. W. Leonard,
Chas. W. Lowe,	Frank Lynch,
E. E. Miller,	J. H. McArthur,
E. W. Morgan,	A. S. Morgan,
M. M. Miller,	T. J. McManis,
T. Mottling,	E. H. Marshack,
G. H. MacDougall,	C. W. Mount,
E. C. McCallister,	Alfred Meyer,
W. S. Nash,	M. J. McDonald,
A. W. Noble,	E. W. Nettleton,
C. A. Pickett,	W. H. Nichols,
E. R. Piddington,	W. C. Ogden,
J. J. Rison,	Chas. Perry,
J. J. Ramlall,	W. K. Quarles,
C. J. Stevenson,	J. D. Riker,
J. D. Sterling,	Wm. A. Smith,
E. H. Sherman,	M. W. Smith,
W. R. Scott,	G. E. Simpson,
C. L. Smith,	T. J. Sherman,
H. S. Tattle,	H. C. Schenck,
W. G. Tucker,	James M. Self,
J. L. Tam,	E. E. Taylor,
H. A. Todd,	E. E. Tucker,
D. B. Vincent,	F. B. Thomas,
F. V. Wilson,	W. M. Thornton,
A. Fred Wey,	E. J. Wilkinson,
H. G. Wilson,	W. E. Wright,
W. H. Wix,	F. K. Wilson,
Edmund Wiklesky,	C. H. Winterhalter,

THERE IS NOT MUCH NOISE.

Reports of the Garza Revolution Much Overdrawn.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Feb. 8.—Colonel Martin, U. S. A., assistant adjutant general, with headquarters at San Antonio, Texas, has just arrived in this city. He is sure the Mexican bandit, Garza, is not on American soil, but passes his time in the city of Mexico, quietly organizing his forces. To a reporter he said: "Garza's organization is so complete that he can concentrate his strength at a very short notice, and that his strength is more than is known. Our troops will do all that is possible to protect the border. There will be no fighting between Mexicans on the American side of the river."

Mr. A. Robertson, general manager of the Monterey & Gulf railway, states that during the past two weeks he traveled extensively in all parts of Mexico, and in all that time he had not seen a sign or heard a word that would indicate a revolutionary spirit among the people.

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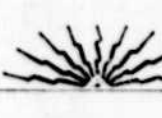
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